

MAKE CHANGES IN RULES GOVERNING I.C.A.A.A. MEETS

Annual Convention Is Held in
New York City on
Saturday

MEET WILL BE AT U. OF P.

Willard J. Slagle is Elected to
Executive Committee of
Association

Several drastic changes were made in the rules governing the IC4A meets Saturday morning at the Columbia University Club in New York City. These changes were made in order to make the competition in the Inter-collegiate meets conform as nearly as possible to the rules in force in the Olympics. Regulations in several of the events have previously been so different from those used in international competition that the contestants were at a handicap. Technology's representative at this meet was Willard J. Slagle, present track manager.

Besides establishing new rules the Executive Committee of the IC4A decided upon the time and place of the annual outdoor meet for this spring. The competition is to be held at the University of Pennsylvania on May 27 and 28. Last year's meet was held at the Harvard Stadium.

Slagle Elected To Committee

Besides the business mentioned above the officers for the ensuing year of 1927-28 were elected, consisting of President, Vice-president, Secretary, Treasurer and Executive Committee. Willard J. Slagle, was elected as a member of the executive committee of the I. C. A. A. A. This committee which has as members, men from several other of the large colleges is in a large measure responsible for the success of the meets.

One of the principal changes made in the rules was the hurdle races. Instead of disqualifying a man for knocking over hurdles as has always been the ruling, he will not be disqualified regardless of the number of hurdles that he may tip. However, no records will be allowed in the races if he knocks over a single hurdle. Another change was made which stated that there will be no penalty on the first false start but on the second false start he will be disqualified. Previous rules gave him a penalty of one yard or the first offence and more serious punishment on the second false start.

Make Changes In High Jump

Both the high jump and pole vault were effected by the new ruling which stated that the bar instead of resting on pegs which extend out from the side of the pole will rest on the top of the uprights. This will eliminate the trouble which was prevalent of a man hitting the bar just as he went over but hitting it in such a manner that it stayed on the pegs. It will now be impossible to do this.

Another amendment which was passed was that governing the javelin throw. In hurling the javelin, the new rule states that no part of the contestant's body or clothing shall come in contact with the board which marks the takeoff. After the throw, the javelin must remain directly behind this mark until the throw is declared either foul or fair and is measured.

Student Musical Units "Go On Air" Tonight

New England radio fans will have a chance to hear two Technology Musical organizations tonight when the Technonians and the Saxophone Quintette go on the air from Station WBZ with a half hour program of popular music beginning at 8:30 o'clock.

During the major part of the half hour period the ether will carry the strains of dance music as played by the Technonians using their full nine-piece ensemble. The Saxophone Quintette is scheduled to play two numbers one of which will be "Wabash Blues," the same number which gained so much applause at the Christmas Concert of the Musical Clubs.

GREAT WAR SUBJECT OF WEEKLY READING

Prose and verse selections inspired by the trying circumstances of the World War will form the theme of this week's literary reading by Mr. Matthew R. Copithorne of the Department of English. Selections from John Aschough's "French Windows" and from the verse of Rudyard Kipling, John Masefield, Alfred Noyes, Gilbert Chesterton, Richard Brooke and Joyce Kilmer portraying the heroism, daring and suffering of the Great Conflict will be included in the program.

These readings of selections by famous authors are held in the Walker Library Monday afternoons at 5:00 o'clock. They are in memory of William Eastman Jr. '17 and all students and their friends are invited.

NORRIS TO SPEAK AT ARTS LECTURE

Has Chosen as Popular Science
Subject "Chemistry and
Modern Life"

In the last of a series of Popular Science lectures, the Society of Arts will present Dr. James F. Norris, Professor of Chemistry, in an address on "Some Chemical Discoveries and Their Effect on Modern Life." The lecture will be given in room 10-250 next Friday, Saturday, and Sunday at 4, 2:30, and 4 o'clock, respectively.

This address follows three others given by members of the Institute faculty on "X-rays," "Ultra-violet light," and "Engineering as the Foundation of Modern Civilization." Dr. Norris, who is president of the American Chemical Society, is an authority in the field of organic chemistry, and his research work in this direction has led to many discoveries of importance. The lecture will describe some of the recent advances in general chemistry and how they have affected present day civilization.

As usual, the lectures on Friday and Saturday will be for high school students and the one on Sunday will be especially for the general public although everyone is invited to attend. Tickets for this Popular Science address may be secured at the Institute Publications Office.

GROUPS MAY RESERVE TABLES AT CONCERT

May Purchase Refreshments
From Walker Grill

Groups of six may reserve tables at the Pop Concert and Dance of the Combined Musical Clubs which will be held in Walker Friday night according to an announcement from the management. The tables will be placed under the colonnade but the center of the floor will be kept clear for the dancing which will follow the concert until 1 o'clock.

For the program which will begin at 8 o'clock the Clubs will present numbers by each of the Banjo, Glee and Instrumental Clubs together with specialty acts consisting of a banjo trio, a piano solo and dance numbers by the Technonians. During the dancing refreshments may be purchased at the Walker Grill.

This will be the first affair of its kind presented by the Musical Clubs in recent years. Last year at the time of the "Phantom Radio Dinner" the Clubs presented a form of a pop concert but no dancing was included in the evening's program. If this trial proves successful it is likely that it will be repeated in future years.

LIGHTING COMMITTEE MET IN PHILADELPHIA

Professors Dugald C. Jackson, Joseph W. Barker '16 and Vannevar Bush '16 returned the end of last week from a committee meeting held in Philadelphia. This committee, of which Professor Jackson is chairman, has been studying the question of Industrial Lighting, for the National Research Council. The purpose of the recent meeting was for discussing curves and experimental data thus far obtained. Much of the research work is being carried on here at the Institute.

ENGINEER QUINTET SUBDUES CLARK AS WRESTLERS SCORE AN OVERWHELMING VICTORY IN CONTEST WITH WILLIAMS

MATMEN CONCLUDE SEASON BY TAKING EASY WIN, 24 TO 5

Take Every Match Except One
—Cullen Gains Fall In
Thrilling Contest

FALLS END FOUR BOUTS

Williams wrestlers had little in the way of opposition to offer to the Cardinal and Gray grapplers in their match on Friday evening at the Hangar Gym. The visitors won only one match, and that in the unlimited class. When the last man was thrown the score stood 24-5 in favor of the Beavers. Captain Harry Franks while not attempting his "iron man" performance of last week continued his winning streak by tossing his opponent within five minutes.

One of the most exciting matches seen at Technology this year occurred in the 115 pound class where Jim Cullen was matched against Shoaff of Williams. During the regular period neither man could hold an advantage. In the second minute of the first overtime period Shoaff was thrown and hardly had the second session begun than the Williams grappler was tossed again to lose the decision.

In the 145 pound class Harris of Technology took a win at the expense of Lisle by means of a straight fall in five minutes. Lisle put up a very good battle and forced the Engineer to the limit to win. Matteloge secured time advantage over Hartshorn of the Purple in the 158 class after a very close battle.

Packard was the only winner on the visiting team, throwing Cline, of Technology in less than three minutes. Johnson in the 125 and DerMarderosian in the 135 were the other Beaver victors.

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FRESHMAN LEADERS TO MEET WEDNESDAY

Freshman section leaders for the second term will meet in room 10-275 on Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock to discuss the plans for the next freshman smoker, which is expected to be held the latter part of this month. The election of new leaders was held the first of last week under the direction of the leaders of the first term.

Better methods for insuring a larger attendance will be discussed and put in effect, because the class officers feel that a fully representative attendance is necessary to carry out any business. D. Tullis Houston '30, treasurer of the class, will make a report on the financial outcome of the last smoker.

Circus to be a Strictly Stag Party —Plans Made to Keep Co-eds Out

Committee Hopes To Have
More Success Than in Past
Circus Nights

Any attempt on the part of co-eds to crash this year's Circus will be most strenuously opposed, and it is the intention of the committee, as has been done in former years, to make this affair strictly stag in nature.

The committees have taken this stand for the last two years, but so far they have been very unsuccessful in coping with the female population of the Institute. Two years ago, one of the opposite sex was successful in eluding the guards, but when discovered was promptly ejected by an unruly mob. Last year two more, disguised, were able to force admittance into the Armory, and were again promptly thrown out.

Sports Summary For The Week-End

M. I. T. 29	BASKETBALL	Clark 17
M. I. T. 7	FENCING	Norwich 6
M. I. T. 3	HOCKEY	Brown 0
M. I. T. 28	SWIMMING	Wesleyan 34
M. I. T. 24	WRESTLING	Williams 5

PROM SIGNUP DRIVE OPENS WEDNESDAY

Preparations for the opening of the Prom signup campaign on Wednesday are rapidly nearing completion according to the Junior Prom committee. The signup sale will be held in the Main Lobby with the Juniors holding complete option on the signups Wednesday with Thursday and Friday reserved for the rest of the student body.

This year's Prom will be held in the Copley-Plaza on April 19 from 10 until 4 o'clock and presents the special feature of dance music by the California Ramblers. A pre-signup campaign surprise has been promised by the Prom Committee for Tuesday when 1500 "free tickets" will be distributed to the students.

TELLS CHEMISTS OF COLOR PHOTOGRAPHY

Eastman Expert Speaks Friday
To Chemical Society

Color photography as developed by the Eastman Kodak Company will be described by Mr. Glyn Matthews at the next monthly meeting of the New England section of the American Chemical Society, which will be held in room 5-330, Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Mr. Matthews has for some time been engaged in development work in color photography at the Rochester plant of the Eastman Company.

During the talk Mr. Matthews will show several reels of movies taken in natural colors, including a demonstration of new and unusual kaleidoscopic effects which may be produced by color photography. Dinner will be served at 6:30 o'clock in the Faculty Dining Room, Walker, to members of the Society.

Owing to the popular appeal of the subject of the meeting and to the limited seating capacity of room 5-330, the meeting will be open only to those holding tickets, which may be obtained by members of the Society from the Secretary, Dr. Avery A. Morton '24, in room 8-437.

TECHNOLOGY FIVE ANNEXES ANOTHER DECISION, 29 TO 17

Basketball Team Never Loses
Lead in Game Featured by
Good Passwork

ALLEN IS HIGH SCORER

Outplaying their opponents in every department of the game, the Engineer basketball team trounced Clark University 29-17 at the Hangar Gym on Saturday evening. From the opening whistle the Worcester team was unable to take the lead, although during the first half of the game they were constantly within distance of overtaking the Beavers.

Captain Ernie Hinck's squad started off at a fast pace, scoring four points in the opening minutes. The Worcesterites not discouraged, let loose an attack that brought them within one point of tying the count. From this point on to the end of the half the tide of battle shifted from one side to the other. Clark, although failing to take the lead, kept the Cardinal and Gray on the jump to keep ahead. At half time, Technology had a 12-8 margin.

Keep Visitors On Defensive

Brilliant passing and accurate shooting allowed the Cambridge boys to take a commanding lead in the second half. As in the Williams game last week they rushed their opponents off their feet in the final period. The visitors seemed absolutely unable to solve the attack and devoted most of their time in attempting to break up scores rather than get them. When the final whistle blew the Engineers were easy winners with a twelve point lead.

Allen continued his good work of last week by being high scorer of the Beavers with nine points, eight of which were from goals and the other from a free shot. Norm Estes collected a total of six, while Ernie Hinck, Norm McClintock, and Brockelman each accounted for four. The victory for Technology brought the total of wins to eight.

Shanahan was the outstanding star of the meet, annexing eleven points. The work of the Worcester boy was as good as has been seen on the Hangar floor this year. Unfortunately his supporting team was unusually weak and gave him little support. The next highest scorer to him on his own team being Criano with two points.

When Clark did make a spasmodic attack on the Engineer basket the efficient work of Estes and Hinck at guards generally turned them back with little results. The majority of Clark's points were made on long

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CALENDAR

Monday, March 7	5:00—Copithorne Reading, Walker Library
Tuesday, March 8	4:00—T. C. A. Forum, Faculty Dining Room.
	5:00—Christian Science Society Meeting, Room 4-132.
	6:00—Mining Engineering Society Meeting, North Hall.
Wednesday, March 9	5:00—Freshman Section Leaders Meeting, Room 10-275.
	6:00—Quadrangle Club Dinner Meeting, Faculty Dining Room.
Thursday, March 10	2:00—N. E. Interscholastic Basketball Tournament, Hangar Gym.
	5:00—Institute Committee Meeting, Faculty Dining Room.
	8:00—Helicon Society Social, North Hall.
Friday, March 11	4:00—Popular Science Lecture, Room 10-250.
	8:00—Pop concert and dance, Main Hall, Walker.
	8:00—Chemical Society Meeting, Room 5-330.
Saturday, March 12	2:30—Popular Science Lecture, Room 10-250.

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Lawrence C. Hamlin '29

WHY NOT HAVE A SQUASH TEAM?

SEVERAL months ago an announcement was made to the effect that the Institute had opened a series of squash tennis courts. While the announcement was not greeted with a fanfare of trumpets, nevertheless there were many among the Faculty and the students who took advantage of this opportunity for exercise and pleasure. As a consequence we are not surprised to find that there are many here at Technology who play the game with no mean ability.

Taken as a whole the game of squash tennis is a comparatively new innovation. It is similar to handball, except for the fact that the game is played with racquets and a different type of rubber ball. There are many who do not believe that it is as fast a game as handball, but they do, however, admit that it is far more interesting. Add to this the fact that one may obtain adequate exercise by playing several games of squash, and it is not hard to see why the game should be and is extremely popular at Technology.

Giving due consideration to all these facts we wonder why something is not being done toward forming a squash tennis team at the Institute. There are enough undergraduates here who play the game well and there are enough schools and colleges within a very short distance of Boston to provide the necessary competition. The sport itself does not necessitate the purchase of much equipment and it is not a game whose players need a too great amount of coaching.

We realize that it may not be possible to have such a team recognized immediately by the Athletic Association but if the urge is strong enough, and we believe that it is, the aspirants will find a way to make their wish come true. The solution may lie in the formation of a club like the Beaver Baseball Club. If the men themselves will make an effort and prove that they are serious about the matter, we believe that the authorities will grant them just consideration. The Institute has provided the courts and now the next move is up to the undergraduates.

THE OPEN FORUM

Contributions to this department are welcome and it is the desire of the Editor to give it a more extended scope. Communications must be signed or they will not be considered for publication and must be in the office of THE TECH by 4 P. M. preceding an issue. It is to be distinctly understood that what is printed here is not necessarily an expression of editorial opinion. Communications of an undesirable nature will not be printed.

To the Editor of the "Tech,"

Dear Sir:

In view of the recent editorial comment relative to the management of athletic teams, the following comment just received by me from a former student at Technology may be pertinent.

The writer has recently had contact with our basketball team on its recent trip and after commenting most favorably upon the character of performance of the team, not from the standpoint of play and sportsmanship, concludes with the following sentence:

"The management of this trip was excellent and bears out my opinion that a few well managed trips, possibly a single one for each team is very much worth while both from the standpoint of the players themselves and for our general athletic policies. The impression created was most favorable."

Our policy has been, as you know, to place responsibility and authority in the hands of the undergraduates. In the tale of the years I feel that the excellent showing made by our many managers not only vindicated this policy but offers the strongest possible

evidence for its support and continuance.

Believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

(Signed) A. W. Rowe '01.

Editor's Note:

We agree that the management of certain of the athletic teams at Technology is very good and entirely above criticism. In the above letter Dr. Rowe emphasizes the excellence of the basketball management which is quite true. The very fact that the management of certain sports is better than others and is known to be better by the individual team members is our basis for criticism. We believe that Institute athletics would benefit through having a more closely knit and consistent policy of administration in all branches of sport. To do this we suggested having an undergraduate Supervising Manager of managers. That, of course, is merely a suggestion. We do not pretend to know what is the best action. Our first editorial came as the result of unsolicited criticism arising from within the Athletic Association.

To the Editor of The Tech:

If the chameleon-like person who is "A Transfer Student from a Small College" February 16 and becomes an "Alumnus Class of '19" March 2 cares to dignify his two infelicitous diatribes by publicly admitting his authorship a comprehensive reply will be forth coming in short order.

(Signed) John H. Field '27.

THE TECH BOOK LIST

WALKER MEMORIAL LIBRARY

The following books have been received by the Walker Memorial Library during the past week:

McCabe—"History of Roumania."
Van Dyke—"Ignatius Loyola."
Pares—"A History of Russia."
Ramsay—"A Million and One Nights,"
"The History of the Motion Pictures."

Read—"Secretary Francis Walsingham," (three volumes).
William II of Germany—"My Early Life."

Hoyt—"New Cyclopedia of Quotations."

Dictionaries—"March's Thesaurus," (two volumes).

"Muret-Saunders' Deutsch-English," (two volumes).

"French-English," (two volumes).

ENCHANTED TRAILS OF GLACIER PARK

ENCHANTED TRAILS OF GLACIER PARK, by Agnes C. Laut. New York: Robert M. McBride & Company. \$3.

The other day I met a man who had an arm-chair with a personality. In that respect it differed from most chairs, but in every other way it was just an ordinary comfortable old easy-chair. The chair was called Pegasus. Let me quote the owner of this remarkable chair: "When things go wrong, and life becomes dull, I get a good book, the book and I mount Pegasus, and sail away o'er land and sea, leaving trouble far behind."

"Enchanted Trails of Glacier Park" is a book which will make you want to mount your Pegasus and sail away. It is no mere travel book, no mere itinerant description of one of the most beautiful parks in the United States, if not perhaps in the world. It is a dramatic portraiture of the Great Northwest. We in the East do not perhaps appreciate the significance of the history of West. We are prone to believe that America history began with the transcontinental migrations. Amid the picturesque beauty of this mountain playground, we learn of an invasion which ante-dated our own by countless centuries. It is the romance of the great trek which spread human beings over the face of the world, which spread a pre-historic culture from East to West and back again.

In the closing chapters of the book, the author in a most ingenious, rapidly moving picture, portrays the tremendous vitality of the Oregon Trail and what it means to the progress of America.

A dramatic description of the romantic Northwest is our tribute to this remarkable book.

F. L. M.

THE WRECK OF THE REDWING

"THE WRECK OF THE REDWING." By Beatrice Grimshaw. New York: Henry Holt and Company. \$2.

If quick action, a new thrill on every page, and romance are the requisites of a good book of adventure, "The Wreck of the Redwing" will certainly qualify. Due to its clear style and clever character-drawing however, it does not degenerate to the level of cheap thrillers or moving picture scenarios.

Herod Pascoe, the principal character is pictured amid the South Seas which effect to bring out what is in a man,—his inborn traits inhibited not by the conventions of the world. From this viewpoint his carefully prepared villainies seem quite natural and plausible. During about fifteen years he works on his only great crime which involves kidnapping a child from a wreck and bringing her up, planning the murder of his wife and a sea captain in his employ, the lover of Laurie, the kidnapped girl, and the forcing of Laurie to marry him. The author has ingeniously produced all the excitement of both murders while the only one actually killed outside of a few natives is Pascoe who is killed in the most suitable way, by being eaten by rats who have spread over a small island from shipwrecks.

The romances between Laurie and the Captain and between Pascoe's wife and a tutor who tells the story in the book furnish a pleasing respite between thrills yet neither side is so overemphasized that it becomes tiring.

The author has attained a satisfying realism in her style which gives the story much greater charm than the average tale of the South Sea Islands. The plot is made to seem the natural result of the well drawn characters rather than having the characters mere puppets to enact the plot. The interest in the people rather than the story itself which this encourages makes it a book which is hard to leave until the place is reached where they all live happily ever after while the villain receives his proper reward.

It is a book which should appeal to the large class of people who are unable to get their adventure and romance in any other way than by reading in their spare moments, but literary value and accurate characterization are by no means ignored in compacting those thrills into the limited space of the book.

H. T. G.

AS WE SEE THE MOVIES

METROPOLITAN

The feature film at the Metropolitan this week is "A Kiss in a Taxi" starring Bebe Daniels and Chester Conklin. It is an adaptation of a French farce and is of the light slapstick variety. Miss Daniels as "Ginette" flutters through Cafe life into taxis and finally to a home where she is adopted and married off. Meanwhile each would be suitor attempts to kiss her and each in turn is greeted with a shower of glassware and pottery.

From the orchestra pit comes the "Poet and Peasant" overture and it is very well done. Frank Cambria presents on the stage his "Sea Chanties." This act is different from the usual Metropolitan stage presentation—it is colorful but not in a lavish way. The music and the dance by a peg-legged sailor are particularly good.

FENWAY

"Sorrows of Satan," with Adolphe Menjou and Lya de Putti.

"Her Father Said No," with Danny O'Shea and Mary Brian (until Wednesday).

"Sorrows of Satan" has been previously reviewed in these columns.

"Her Father Said No," makes a brave attempt to arouse us out of the stupor in which Satanic sorrows have left us. Danny O'Shea as Danny Martin, contender for the lightweight boxing championship is fairly "bubbling over" with smiles and actions. He, if we may base our opinion on the remarks of the girl who sat in back of us, is what the feminine sex call cute.

Mary Brian via a broken down roadster becomes acquainted and of course infatuated with our hero of the squared circle. Her "terrible tempered Mr. Bang" type of father has an acrid aversion for gentlemen of the pugilistic profession and consequently emits an emphatic NO when Danny asks to marry his daughter.

As We Like It

AMERICANA

Happily, the standard of "Americana" is far above that of any other revue. The idea behind the whole thing is rather new and different and we believe that it succeeds in attaining whatever effect it desired to obtain.

There has been no lavish expenditure of money for dazzling costumes and stage settings. There is no great array of chorus girls, and there are comparatively few principals. Instead, each member of the company is a specialist in his or her field.

The show is intended to be a satire on American people and on the habits of some of our more illustrious fellow citizens. In this respect it succeeds admirably. Some of the skits come as close to perfection as the art of acting and the natural limitations of the stage will permit.

There are three particularly good comedians, Roy Atwell, Lew Brice, and Charles Butterworth. It is to these gentlemen that the greatest credit is due. Butterworth's speech at the Rotary Club dinner, and Atwell and Brice in their interpretation of Hamlet, The Student Prince of Denmark are two of the funniest things that we have seen on any stage. There are a number of such offerings, some will appeal to one type of person and some will appeal to another.

The show is not perfect, and not all of it corresponds to our definition of humor, but there is enough in it to enable us to unreservedly recommend that you see the show. We do not think that you will be disappointed with what is offered.

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Engineer Sextet Makes Sensational Comeback In Battle With Bruins

Technology's fast hockey sextet made a sensational comeback to top off its 1927 season by shutting out Brown at the Providence rink on Saturday evening by a 3-0 score. The Beavers were never in danger of losing, being on the offensive throughout the entire encounter. Clever teamwork and accurate shooting were responsible for the excellent showing made by the Cambridge boys.

From the opening play the Engineers proved their superiority, evading the Bruin forwards and secondary by means of combination play. The Providence sextet on the other hand found the Beaver defense practically airtight. Bill Berkeley and Frank Crandall played a wonderful game at these positions, and in spite of the fact that the Cardinal and Gray captain did not cage a goal the victory of the team centered constantly about his great playing.

Duplin First To Score

Vic Duplin was the first to register a tally. In the middle of the opening period he received the puck on a pass from his own quarter ice line and carried through the entire opening team for a goal. The Bruins attempted the offensive at this time but their efforts were made fruitless by the work of the outdefense and White at goal. The second period proved to be a mere duplication of the first, with Technology still forcing the issue. Late in the period Bill Cullinan successfully imitated Duplin by carrying the disk the full length of the ice for the second tally. It remained for Frank Crandall to register the final score of the game in the third session when he carried from mid-ice to elude the Brown goalie.

The summary:
M. I. T. Brown
Duplin, lw rw, Billings (Chase)
Crosby, c c, Partridge (Eastwood)
Cullinan (Fahey), rw
lw, Gardiner (Peters)
Crandall, ld rd, Perrine
Berkeley, rd ld, Gross
White, g g, Fassenden
Goals—Duplin, Cullinan, Crandall. Referee—Trihey. Time—20m periods.

Interclass Meet Goes to Juniors By Close Score

1928 Track Stars Are Followed Closely by Sophomores—Frosh Third

Five and one-half points margin gave the class of 1928 the victory in the interclass track meet held last Saturday on the boards, and the four classes were all so closely bunched in the scoring that the first three places were in some doubt until the final event. Coach Os Hedlund declared that the competition was closer this year than it has been for some time, and pointed to the new records established in the 300 and the 1000, as well as the equalling of the record in the mile and a half event, as significant of the progress of his track men since the winter season began.

The opening events, the high and low hurdles, were featured by the work of Steinbrenner and Burgess, who acquired a first and a second each in these races. Steinbrenner then proceeded to give the Seniors five more points by taking the 40-yd. dash, but he was hard-pressed by Dahl and Berman. Meagher and Fay, both Juniors, ended in a dead heat in the 600, which was one of the prettiest races witnessed on the board track in many a day.

Not to be outdone, Kirwin and Worthen staged a nice fight for first place in the mile, but Kirwin was always a jump or two ahead of his rival for the entire distance. The finish was in the form of a great spurt by both men, but the distance of a few feet which had separated them for almost the entire race remained unchanged.

Thorsen and Costello were the only two freshmen to win first places, the former by taking the mile and one-half from DeFazio in the last lap of the eighteen, and the latter by going over the bar at five feet, nine inches in the high jump. He was unsuccessful in an attempt to break the Institute record at five feet, eleven inches. Another near dead heat resulted in the 300-yd. run, when Earle, Ladd, and Berman finished almost together in the order named. This event ended the close finishes, as K. A. Smith led the field by a considerable margin in winning the thousand.

Gray won the pole vault at ten (Continued on Page 4)

Fencers Win From Norwich In Fast Series of Bouts

Visiting Foilsmen Lose Speedy Contest Marked by Good Swordsmanship

Technology's fencers came back into the win column with a bang when they defeated Norwich Academy Friday night in the Faculty Dining Room. One of the best meets of the season was featured by the work of Captain Ferre and Harris of Technology and Hilton of Norwich, all of their bouts being fast and interesting.

Captain Ferre continued with the good work he has been doing all year by taking all three of the bouts in which he fenced, winning two of them with scores of 5-1. Harris added the rest of the Beaver's score by taking two bouts at both the foils and sabers. Hilton of Norwich helped out his team's score as he easily won two bouts at the foils and one at sabers.

No small amount of amusement was found by the spectators when Reyna of Technology while fencing Captain Wallace of Norwich stumbled on the mat and sat down for a rest. The tragic part was that it so upset his equilibrium that he lost the bout.

Score—Foil: Ferre, M. I. T., defeated Wallace, 5-1; Hilton, Norwich, defeated Harris 5-4; Chen, Norwich, de-

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RELAY LOSS COSTS BEAVERS THE MEET

Wesleyan nosed out Technology 34-28 in an unusually close swimming meet last Saturday, at Middletown. The contest was decided by the closing event, when Wesleyan overcame the Beaver's two point lead by collecting the eight counts awarded for the relay. Charlotte of Wesleyan clipped 10 seconds from the 440 yard record of

his Alma Mater, Luey and Puschin cut 6 seconds from the Institute records in the backstroke and breaststroke respectively, and Wesleyan established a new 160-yd. relay time for Fayerweather Natatorium.

Captain Grover starred for Technology by winning the 40-yd. free-style and taking second in the 100-yd. He shared honors with VanDeusen of Wesleyan who placed first in the 100-yd dash and second in the 40-yd. Ralph Johnson of the Institute also placed in both events.

Luey and Puschin Break Records Wesleyan was superior to Technology in the fancy diving and 440-yd. length and gathered the two top places in both events. This circumstance gave its team a wide margin of safety until the end of the "B" swims. In these the Beavers turned the tables. Luey registered a first for the backstroke with the new record time of 2 minutes 3-5 seconds, and was followed by his team-mate Bridges in second berth. First in the breaststroke went to Puschin, likewise in record time, 2 minutes 48-4-5 seconds. In this race Paul Johnson collected another 3

points for the Institute and thereby put it in the lead at the start of the relay 28-26.

Misfortune overtook the Technology swimmers in this last event and gave victory to Wesleyan. Its team for the second time this year established a relay record for its pool, thus defeating the Beavers excellent combination (Continued on Page 4)

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DEMOS WILL LEAD FORUM FOR T. C. A.

"Materialism" Will Be Subject Of Harvard Professor

Leading the third of the series of fora held by the Meetings Division of the Technology Christian Association, Dr. Raphael Demos will speak on "Materialism" in the Faculty Dining Room tomorrow at 4 o'clock.

Dr. Demos studied at Anatolia College, Turkey, from which he received an A.B. in 1910. For the next three years he was Secretary-Treasurer of that College. He then went to Harvard, where he received his Ph.D. in 1916. After receiving this degree, he became an instructor in Philosophy at Harvard, and, at present is a tutor and assistant professor. According to William E. Hocking, head of the Department of Philosophy at Harvard, Dr. Demos is one of the best tutors they have at their University.

WRESTLERS TROUNCE WILLIAMS GRAPPLERS

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tors, the former winning on a time advantage and the latter on a decision.

The summary:

One hundred and fifteen-pound class—Cullen (T) defeated Shoaff (W). Two overtime falls.

One hundred and twenty-five-pound class—Johnson (T) defeated Drogdell (W). Time advantage—4m 56s.

One hundred and thirty-five-pound class—DerMarderosian (T) defeated Hardy (W). Decision.

One hundred and forty-five-pound class—Harris (T) defeated Lisle (W). Fall—5m 33s.

One hundred and fifty-eight-pound class—Matteloge (T) defeated Hartshorn (W). Time advantage—1m 7s.

One hundred and seventy-five-pound class—Frank (T) defeated Lund (W). Fall—4m 5s.

Unlimited class—Packard (W) defeated Cline (T). Fall—2m 27s.

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Depopulation of Institute Trend Shown by Figures

Studentless Institute by 1943 Seems Indicated by Statistics

By statistics recently compiled from the student registration list supplied by the office registrar it was found that at the present rate of falling off, the Institute will be entirely depopulated of students in less than 16 years. In the last two years the registration has decreased 306 students; 165 dropped during the term transition this present academic year.

The two new courses, XVI and XVII, last September have attracted a total of 109 students which does not appreciatively increase the registration number. The number of students who shifted to these two courses from others cannot be ascertained.

At the present time the most popular course is course VI, which comprises almost 23 per cent of the total registration. Courses XVI and II follow closely with about 12 percent each. Courses X, IV and I each have about 9.5 percent each. All the other curricula make up not more than one fourth of the total number enrolled.

Statistics also show that there are a total of 531 officers at Technology, including the instructing staff, and other officials. With a total registration of 2507 students this term, that practically allows four and three-fourths students to each officer, or shows that about 18 percent of the total registration at the Institute is made up of the instructing staff and directing officers.

RECORDS BROKEN AS MERMEN LOSE MEET

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of Ralph Johnson, Brown, Kelsey and Grover.

The summary:

40-yd. Dash—Won by Grover of Tech; second, VanDeusen, Wesleyan; third, R. Johnson, Tech. Time—19 3-5s.

440-yd. Swim—Won by Charlotte, Wesleyan; second, Parr, Wesleyan; third, Wiles, Tech. Time—5:53 1-5s.

150-yd. Back Stroke—Won by Luey, Tech; second, Bridges, Tech; third, Gordon, Wesleyan. Time—2m 3-5s.

100-yd. Dash—Won by VanDeusen, Wesleyan; second, Grover, Tech; third, R. Johnson, Tech. Time—58 1-5s.

200-yd. Breast Stroke—Won by Puschin, Tech; second, P. Johnson, Tech; third, Chester, Wesleyan. Time—2m 48 4-5s.

160-yd. Relay—Won by Wesleyan (Murfelt, Bodel, Peck, VanDeusen); second, Tech (R. Johnson, Brown, Kelsey, Grover). Time—1m 19 4-5s.

Fancy Dives—Won by Severance, Wesleyan; second, Marchant, Wesleyan; third, Kelsey, Tech.

Referee—Kippeth, Yale. Starter—Martin of Wesleyan. Judges of diving—Martin and Fauver of Wesleyan and Kippeth of Yale.

NOTICES OFFICIAL

SENIOR CONSULTATIONS

Mr. J. F. Morris, of the Nickel Plate Railroad will be at the Institute in room 3-210 on Wednesday at 11:30 o'clock to consult any Seniors interested in the transportation departments of the Nickel Plate Railroad. All men interested should see Miss Mahoney in room 3-210 and make arrangement for interviews with Mr. Morris.

ATOMIC STRUCTURE

Professor Blanchard's course in Atomic Structure (5.75) begins Tuesday, March 8, at 8 a. m. in Room 10-250 and comprises ten lectures at this hour on Tuesday and Friday mornings.

UNDERGRADUATE

FORD TRIP

Anyone desiring to visit the Ford plant in Somerville with the S. A. E. should be in the Main Lobby at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. It is planned to have busses for those who do not have cars.

E. E. COLLOQUIUM

The Electrical Engineering Colloquium hours and room number have been changed to Room 10-275, on both Monday and Tuesday from 2:00 to 4:00 o'clock. This will hold throughout the remainder of the term for successive Colloquia.

RADIO SOCIETY

Radio messages to all parts of the United States will be transmitted free of charge for all students at any time. Place messages in letter box on bulletin board outside room 10-280.

T. C. A.

The T. C. A. has received 250 coat hangers for free distribution. One to a man may be had by applying at the office.

Open Competition on Walker Committee

Starting this afternoon the Walker Memorial Committee will open a new spring competition for freshmen who wish to try out. The results of this competition will lead up to membership on this committee. Each year the chairman of this committee is selected from the Junior members, to serve during his Senior year. All first year men who are interested are requested to drop around to the office in the basement of Walker any afternoon between 4 and 5 o'clock.

WALKING WILL SAVE FEET, SAYS EXPERT

Too Much Automobiling Cause Of Underexercise and Weakness

University students must use their feet more, is the belief of Dr. Joseph Lelyfeld, director of the National Association of Foot Hygiene. In these days of hardwood floors, pavements, and stylish shoes, a man's foot stands an abnormal amount of abuse; but when in addition one takes into account the fact that a host of flivvers are ready to take the college students to any desired destination, however, distant, Dr. Lelyfeld concludes that the civilized man outlives his feet.

"The necessity of walking having been lessened, the muscles of the feet do not get enough exercise," declared Dr. Lelyfeld. "The people should be told the right kind of shoes to wear that the feet might be saved and continue to be useful as long as the body needs them. This should be done by specialists.

"After years of abuse, when any of the 26 bones of the feet begin to slip out of position, the arches begin to fall," he warned. "There are pains in the feet, headaches, backaches, fatigue, bad nerves, and spinal trouble when this condition exists."

TECHNOLOGY QUINTET DEFEATS CLARK FIVE

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shots. Hinck suffered the penalty of four personals and was removed with Mock taking up his work.

M. I. T.					Clark Univ.				
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McDowell, c	0	0	0		Silverman, rf	0	2	2	
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Estes, lg	2	2	6						
Johnson, lg	0	0	0						
Totals	12	5	29		Totals	5	7	17	

INSTITUTE FOILSMEN DEFEAT NORWICH, 7-6

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Total Siller 5-4; Ferre, M. I. T., defeated Hilton 5-4; Harris, M. I. T., defeated Chen 5-4; Wallace, Norwich, defeated Lester 5-3; Ferre, M. I. T., defeated Chen 5-1; Harris, M. I. T., defeated Amsden 5-3; Hilton, Norwich, defeated Lester 5-2. Total, M. I. T. 5, Norwich 3.

Sabers: Wallace, Norwich, defeated Reyna 5-3; Harris, M. I. T., defeated Hilton, 5-3; Harris, M. I. T., defeated Wallace 5-2; Hilton, Norwich, defeated Kononoff 5-3. Total: M. I. T. 2, Norwich 2.

Final score—M. I. T. 7, Norwich 5.

EMPLOYMENT BUREAU

The employment bureau of the T. C. A. has received a call for a student who is skilled in fancy knot-making. Apply at front office.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

There will be a meeting of the Christian Science Society next Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

CONCERT TICKETS

The T. C. A. has received a limited number of student tickets (50 cents each) for the concert of Povia Frisch Monday evening in Jordan Hall. Apply at office.

INTERCLASS TRACK BARELY WON BY '28

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feet, and when the standards were cleared away, Martini took the shot put. All but two events on the program, the high hurdles and the pole vault, were crowded with entries, and preliminary heats had to be run for most of the track events. A good-sized crowd was present, and the weather was almost perfect for the first big meet of the season. A chilly North wind was partly intercepted by the big mound of earth used by the cross-country squad. Previous to the meet, a meeting of all track men was held, and appeals were made for a continuation of the interest in track which has been so much in evidence this winter. Much credit is due the track management for the efficient manner in which the meet was run off, with all of the various events being held without any mixups.

The summary:

45-yd. Low Hurdles—Won by Steinbrenner (27); 2. Burgess (29); 3. Collins (28); 4. Ross (30); 5. Celette (28). Time 6s.

45-yd. High Hurdles—Won by Burgess (29); 2. Steinbrenner (27); 3. Costello (30); 4. Collins (28). Time 6 3-5s.

40-yd. Dash—Won by Steinbrenner (27); 2. Dahl (27); 3. Berman (29); 4. Danner (29); 5. Kauzman (27). Time 4 4-5s.

300-yd. Run—Won by Earle (29); 2. Ladd (30); 3. Berman (29); 4. Kauzman

(27); 5. Burgess (29). Time 35s. (New board track record.)

600-yd. Run—Tie for first between Mesagher (28) and Fay (28); 3. Hallahan (29); 4. Walters (28); 5. Walsh (28). Time 1m 18 2-5s.

1000-yd. Run—Won by Smith (27); 2. Mitchell (29); 3. Herbert (30); 4. Barrios (30); 5. Williams (29). Time 2m. 22s. (New board track record.)

1 Mile Run—Won by Kirwin (28); 2. Worthen (29); 3. Holmes (28); 4. Does (29); 5. Dunlap (30). Time 4m. 41 4-5s.

One and One-half Mile Run—Won by Thorsen (30); 2. DeFazio (28); 3. Austin (28); 4. Kirwin (28); 5. Berry (30). Time 7m. 32 4-5s. (Tied board track record.)

High Jump—Won by Costello (30); 2. Pease (29); 3. Farwell (28); 4. Steele (30); 5. Collins (28). Height 5 ft. 9 in.

Pole Vault—Won by Gray (28); 2. Slack (30) and Herbert (30) tied; 4. Vennard (30). Height 10 ft.

Shot Put—Won by Martini (28); 2. Glantzberg (27); 3. Rogers (30); 4. Stachelaus (28); 5. Celette (27). Distance 36 ft. 6 in.

Score: 1928, 48 1-2; 1929, 43; 1930, 40 1-2; 1927, 31.

Iowa State College has inaugurated a course in sleep for co-eds under the catalogue name of individual gymnastics. Prerequisites are that the prospective entrants must be suffering from either heart trouble or anemia. Two rooms have been equipped with beds for the students who sleep under the supervision of a physical instructor for three hours a week. At present the forty-three who enrolled for the subject declare the course to be a snap with no final examination in June. How cuts are made up is not stated by the authorities.

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